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The Honorable Vernon A. Williams Secretary Attn: STB Ex Parte No. 646 Surface Transportation Board 1925 K Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20423-0001



RE: STB Ex Parte No. 646 (Sub. No. 1), Simplified Standards for Rail Rate Cases—Notice of Intent to Participate

Dear Secretary Williams:

Pursuant to the Board's Decision served in this proceeding on July 28, 2006, General Motors ("GM"), hereby gives notice of its intent to participate in this proceeding as a party of record. GM respectfully requests that the following representative be included on the service list maintained by the Board in this proceeding.

Thomas Giovinazzi Manager Rail Operations General Motors 29777 Citation Circle, Suite 33203 Farmington Hills, MI 48331

Copies of all pleadings and other documents filed in this proceeding, and all decisions and orders, should also be served directly upon this representative.

Sincerely,

Thomas P. Giovinazzi Raya Book Line Up